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Mr. Carlton C. Massey
County Executive
Fairfax, Virginia

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Dear Mr. Massey:

There appear to be more and more pressures or requests for re-zoning of the Langley area in order to accommodate various facilities and enterprises. It is my understanding that in some of these requests there have been statements or implications to the effect that the Agency is interested in having the area re-zoned.

Five years ago when the selection of a site for the Central Intelligence Agency headquarters building was being considered by appropriate Federal and county officials, the importance of maintaining the character of the Langley, Virginia, area was emphasized by all concerned. This letter is to confirm the fact that our position in this matter is unchanged and to state that we continue to endorse the policy of maintaining, to the maximum extent possible, the residential character of the community.

Sincerely,

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Allen W. Dulles
Director

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H. Gates Lloyd
Acting Deputy Director
(Support)

4 Oct 61
Date

Mr. Carlton C. Massey
County Executive
Fairfax, Virginia

Dear Mr. Massey:

The site for the Central Intelligence Agency headquarters building at Langley, Virginia, was selected several years before I became Director of Central Intelligence on 29 November 1961. However, I am aware of the fact that when the site was selected the importance of maintaining the rural character of Langley was emphasized by appropriate Federal and county officials and endorsed by this Agency.

I understand, also, that my predecessor, Allen W. Dulles, advised you last October that the position of the Agency in this matter had not changed and that he continued to enforce the policy of maintaining to the maximum extent possible the residential character of the community.

I continue to note pressures or requests for rezoning of the Langley area, and, in this connection, I should like to assure you that I support fully the consistent position previously taken by Mr. Dulles and the Central Intelligence Agency.

Sincerely,

John A. McCone
Director

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TO: Assistant to the Director		
ROOM NO. 7D5617	BUILDING HQ	
REMARKS: Mr. 		
<p>In connection with our conversation this morning and for your guidance, I attach hereto a copy of Mr. Dulles' letter dated 5 October 1961 to the Fairfax County Executive and a proposed letter which General Carter thought best not to dispatch, which was prepared only a few weeks ago.</p> <p><i>Noted</i> <i>STAT</i> <i>8/31/62</i> L. K. White</p>		
FROM: Deputy Director (Support)		
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